



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application) PATENT APPLICATION
Inventors: Jefferson B. Burch)
Serial No.: 09/480,041) Art Unit: 2863 *#10/Amelie Award*
Filed: 1-10-2000) Examiner: Bui B. *3/21/03*
Title: PERFORMANCE MONITORING IN)
DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS USING)
SYNCHRONIZED CLOCKS AND DISTRIBUTED)
EVENT LOGS)

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 12-11-02,
applicants respectfully request that the above-
identified application be amended as follows.

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